

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional)  
PF980072

In re Application of Sylvain Chevreau et al.

Application Number 09/807,697

Filed April 17, 2001

For COPY METHOD AVOIDING BIT-TO-BIT DUPLICATION OF  
DIGITAL DATA AND READING DEVICE FOR IMPLEMENTING SAME

Art Unit 3621

Examiner Bradley B. Bayat

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

- ☐ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$ 1020.00
- ☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- ☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 07-0832.
- I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the ☐ applicant/inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

☐ attorney or agent of record. Registration Number \_\_\_\_\_

☒ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a): 40,677.

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December 15, 2005

Date

609 734 6815

Telephone Number

Signature

PAUL P. KIEL

Typed or printed name

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

☒ Total of 1 forms are submitted.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.136(a). The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 6 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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Effective on 12/08/2004.

Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).

# FEE TRANSMITTAL

for FY 2005

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 1220.00

## Complete if Known

Application Number	09/807,697
Filing Date	April 17, 2001
First Named Inventor	Sylvain Chevreau
Examiner Name	Bradley B. Bayat
Art Unit	3621
Attorney Docket No.	PF980072

## METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

☐ Check ☐ Credit card ☐ Money Order

☐ None ☐ Other (please identify):

Customer Number 24498

☒ Deposit Account: Deposit Account Number 07-0832

Deposit Account Name: THOMSON LICENSING INC.

For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

☒ Charge fee(s) indicated below

☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee

☒ Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayments of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

☒ Credit any overpayments

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## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

### 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

#### Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Small Entity  
Fee (\$)

50

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

200

Multiple dependent claims

360

#### Total Claims

12

- 20 or HP =

#### Extra Claims

0

#### Fee (\$)

\$50

#### Fee Paid (\$)

0

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

#### Independent Claims

4

- 3(HP) =

#### Extra Claims

1

#### Fee (\$)

\$200

#### Fee Paid (\$)

\$200

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3.

### 3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)

### 4. OTHER FEE(S)


Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Fees Paid (\$)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): FEE FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME - \$1020.00  
FEE FOR ADDITIONAL INDEPENDENT CLAIM - \$200.00

\$1220.00

## SUBMITTED BY

Name (Print/Type)	PAUL P. KIEL	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	40,677	Telephone	(609) 734-6815
Signature					December 15, 2005

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